May 25, 2011

<u>Bardstown Independent</u> SCHOOL DISTRICT DISTRCT FACILITIES PLAN HEARING REPORT*

A public hearing was held at the <u>Central Office</u> on <u>May 24, 2011</u>, at <u>5:30 p.m.</u> (local time). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the <u>Bardstown Independent</u> Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted <u>11 to 0</u> in favor of the proposed new plan and the Board voted <u>5 to 0</u> to approve the new plan.

There were (7) number of persons at the hearing exclusive of the hearing officer individual(s) in attendance. Tracey D. Rogers, Treasurer, served as the locally-appointed hearing officer. Present were Superintendent Brent Holsclaw, Board Chairman Robert Leathers, Board Member Kathy Reed, Board Member Jennifer Shrewsbury, Board Member Margie Bradford, Director of Instructional Related Services Todd Hood and Tom Isaac, Media Representative.

COMMENTS

Hearing Officer Tracey Rogers called the public hearing to order. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 1:001. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. All considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The hearing officer read the proposed new District Facility Plan which includes; within the 2011-2013 biennium, the plan proposes construction of a new elementary school at an estimated cost of \$13.2 million. In management support areas, there is proposed construction of a new central bus garage as well as a maintenance and storage facility, which are projected at just over \$904,000, bringing the total estimated cost of the plan to approximately \$14 million. Finally, there are several discretionary construction projects listed for items such as site acquisition and district wide renovations.

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. No statements were made and no written statements were submitted. After a waiting period of approximately fifteen minutes, the hearing was adjourned.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the new District Facility Plan developed by the <u>Bardstown Independent</u> Local Planning Committee and adopted by the <u>Bardstown Independent</u> Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the <u>Bardstown Independent</u> School District. A copy of the new plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Stacey D. Rogers, Treasurer

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Tim Lucas, Manager Public Hearing Agenda

Planning File

Attachments:

Bardstown Independent School District Facility Plan

*This document is presented to KDE as submitted by the district-appointed hearing officer.